

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 1616**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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FOR: COMPOSITION COMPRISING A CYCLOHEXANEDIONE HERBICIDE AND AN
ADJUVANT

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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER RULE 116

Sir:

The present Amendment further responds to the final Office Action dated July 20, 2007 and the advisory action dated December 28, 2007. Applicants respectfully request that the following amendments be entered and the claims considered in light of the arguments set forth herein. A petition for a two-month extension for response accompanies this amendment in a separate paper filed herewith.

Amendments to the Specification – None

Amendments to the Claims – are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings – N/A

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.